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DEPARTURE OF THE KAISER. | Sound, but came off two hours later, was examined by a diver here to day, and it was found she had sustained no damage.

SAILING FOR NORWAY FROM LEITH IN THE HOHENZOLLERN.

TAKING A LOOK AT THE FORTH BRIDGE-EX-PRESSING THANKS FOR HIS CORDIAL RES CEPTION IN ENGLAND-A GER-

MAN COMMENT.

London, July 14 .- Emperor William reached Leith at 7:05 o'clock this morning. He was received by the Mayor and a number of other offishock hands. He was loudly cheered by the large crowd which had assembled to greet him. Later on the Emperor embarked upon the imperial neht Hohenzollern, which steamed up the Firth of Forth in order to enable the Emperor to get a good view of the Forth Bridge. Upon returning from the Forth Bridge, the Hohenzollern passed Leith, on her way to Norway. A warship in Leith harbor fired a royal salute as the im-

perial yacht passed out to sea. The Duke of Connaught, while speaking at Portsmouth to-day, read a telegram, from Leith from Emperor William, in which the Emperor "I cannot leave the hospitable shores of this country without thanking you and others for the very warm and cordial reception extended to hen I accompanied the Emperor to the station gesterday evening, he said he felt that for a forcigner like himself it was difficult to imagine why he had been accorded such a hearty welcome; he knew it was not so much for himself as for the grandson of the Queen."

Sir Joseph Savory, the Lord Mayor of London, has received a letter from Count Von Hatzfeldt, the German Ambassador, conveying the Emperor's thanks to the Lord Mayor for the generous pitality extended to him by the city of London, and asking Sir Joseph to thank the citizens of London for the magnificent reception accorded

him.

Berlin, July 14.—The "Vossiche Zeitung" regards the visit of the Emperor to Hatfield House, the residence of Lord Salisbury, as something beyond a mere act of courtesy. It says that the Emperor, accompanied by German statesmen, has Emperor, accompanied by German statesmen, has met the chief English statesmen, and that both countries are convinced that the conference at Hatfield House sealed the assurance of friendship.

DUNCAN FOUND TO HAVE BEEN INSANE. HE IS ACQUITTED OF THE CHARGE OF MURDER-OUSLY ASSAULTING HIS WIFE.

London, July 14 .- A dispatch from Carnarvon say that the Grand Jury has found a true bill against R. C. Duncan, of Washington, D. C., who is accused of murderously assaulting his wife at Bettws-y-Coed. North Wales, by beating her over the head with a stone in May last. Duncan's trial began in the afternoon. The prisoner pleaded not guilty. Evan Evans. a quarryman, testified as to how he had found Duncan on May 12, stooping over the prostrate form of his wife and holding a large blood-covered stone in his hands. Mrs. Duncan's head was terribly battered. The prisoner, as soon as he saw Evans, shouted: "My wife is ill: fetch a doctor. My wife has fallen down the rocks." The witness afterward sent for Dr. Jones, of Dolwyddelan. Duncan, it appeared from further testimony, told the doctor that the injury was caused by Mrs. Duncan's falling from Medical evidence was introduced by the prosecution

which tended to contradict the prisoner's theory that his wife sustained her injuries by falling upon her head, and Dr. Jones also testified that Duncan had admitted to him that he had inflicted the injuries upon his wife, adding that he had lost \$30,000 recently, that he was penniless, and that he intended to drown his wife. The prosecution insisted that there was no ground for the plea of insanity made by counsel for the defence. Dunean's actions, according to the prosecution, showed that the prisoner had planned a crafty, premeditated murder, and that failing to drown his wife, he intended to murder her in me other way and then to escape to the United States. Counsel for the defence replied that United States specialists in insurity had examined Duncan unhinged. Consequently, these physicians advised the prisoner's relatives to have him confined in ar asylum. Duncan's friends, however, preferred to send

After further testimony, the prisoner was acquitted on the ground of insanity. The court ordered that he be detained in custody.

THE CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL IN LONDON. London, July 14.-The first formal and business meeting of the International Congregational Council took place to-day in the new Kingsweigh House Chanel nnon ground given by the Dake of Westminster for that purpose. This building has just been opened and of debt. Dr. Reynolds and a negro delegate assisted at the e mmunion services. Dr. R. W. Dale afterward delivered an address upon "Divine Life in

The Rev. Mr. Gooch, of Chicago, preached beforthe council in the City Temple to-day. He contended that the Pilgrim Fathers and Congregational leaders were as truly called of God as were the Apostles. The general line of his argument was against the nev theology and in favor of orthodox views in regard to the Bible. The church was thronged.

In the course of the afternoon the Rev. Dr. A. E Dunning, of Boston, Mass., read a paper urging the great importance of ministers paying particular at Dr. N. Boynton, also of Boston, read a paper describing the Society of Christian Endeavor. The council then adjourned.

THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY SEEKING SITES. Amsterdam, July 14 .- A proposal to grant the Standard Oil Company a ten-years' lease of sites at Rotter dam and Antwerp, for the erection of oil tanks, has been discussed by the municipal authorities. Chambre de Commerce et Fabriques supported the proposal. Several commercial houses presented a petifor the rejection of the proposal, on the ground that the lease would assist the Standard Oil monopoly and prove injurious to retailers and general consumers Amsterdam Petroleum Harbor Company, which is now using part of the land to be included in the proposed lease, specially opposed the proposal. The Council rejected the motion for a temporary refusal of the grant and postponed decision on the main question.

NO PARDON FOR AUSTIN BIDWELL.

London, July 14.-In the House of Commons to night Mr. Allison brought up the case of the noted American forger, Austin Bidwell, who was imprisoned for life in 1873 for forgeries on the Bank of England amounting to upward of £100,000. Mr. Allison asked cretary Matthews to consider the fact that Bidwell was twenty-live years of age when convicted. that he had now been eighteen years in prison, and that he had a good record throughout. Mr. Matthews, replying, said that he had repeatedly considered with care memorials in favor of Bidwell, but that his sense blic duty ferbade him advising the Queen to re-

MAY DROP THE ATLANTIC CATTLE BILL. London, July 14 .- The Chancellor of the Exchaquer. Mr. Goschen, in the House of Commons to-day, replying to a question addressed to the Government in regard to the bill popularly known as the Atlantic Cattle bill, said that the Government, in view of the opposition to that measure, could not promise to per-

opposition to that measure, could not produce severe in the attempt to pass it.

Mr. Chaplin, president of the Board of Agriculture, in receiving a delegation of shipowaers to day, said that before issuing the proposed regulations for the Atlantic cattle trade he would personally inspect cattle stemmers at the leading ports, and would frame the regulations in a spirit conciliatory to the trade.

KEEPING OUT RUSSIAN HEBREWS Bucharest, July 14.-By order of the Rumanian Government, the Rumanian frontiers bordering on have been cordoned with troops to prevent the influx of Hebrews fleeling from Russia. In addition, no passengers from Russia are allowed to land at

nanian ports unless their passports have been viously vised at some Eumanian Consulate. THE STEAMER PORTIA UNDAMAGED.

A NAVAL DEFEAT FOR BALMACEDA. AN INSURGENT CRUISER WINS A DECISIVE

VICTORY OVER SEVERAL OF HIS SHIPS. San Diego, Cal., July 14.-Commander Janer, of the Mexican man-of-war Democrata, in this harbor, has received a dispatch from the Navy Department of the Mexican Government to the effect that a naval engagement took place off the Chilian coast two days ago between the insurgent cruiser Magellanes and several Government vessels. The engagement resulted in a decisive victory cals and by the German Consul, with whom he for the insurgents, and two Government vessels were almost destroyed.

> SIR CHARLES TUPPER AND FEDERATION. Toronto, July 14.-A cable dispatch received by "The Globe" to-day says: "During an interview today, Sir Charles Tupper dealt fully with his imperial federation proposals, outlining his replies to possible Briefly, Sir Charles held two chief reasons why the matter of federation has hitherto made little progress in Canada: First, especially in Quebec, it was feared that federation would interfere with the existing self-governing rights and power; Canada's ond objection was that many Federationists here urge that the colonies should contribute for purposes of imperial defence. Sir Charles contends that his roposals meet both objections."

Ottawa, July 14.—In the House of Commons to-day Colonel Amyot asked: "Is the High Commissioner for Canada at London authorized by the Government to promote imperial federation and to accord to that heme his active public official concurrence, or is he acting solely on his own responsibility? lovernment of Canada in favor of the establishment of Imperial federation? Has the Government a fixed policy as to the establishment of imperial federation is it hostile, favorable or indifferent thereto;"

Fir Hector Langevin answered that Sir Charles Tupper was acting on his own responsibility in this matter. The Government, he added, had not considered the question of imperial federation.

BRITISH INVESTORS WARNED.

London, July 14.-The report of Mr. Mortimer, the British Vice-Consul at Los Angeles, Cal., just issued, "Great dangers beset the investors in Southern California from promoters in London, and from the mismanagement of English managers who are not familiar with the country, and from the impositions of vendors here." Mr. Mortimer adds that he is re-Inctantly compelled to advise English capitalists not to nvest money in that part of the country, and quotes San Francisco newspapers as declaring that the companies floated in London in the last five years have been miserable failures, while many of them, he adds, have been out-and-out swindles.

THE READING OF THE IRISH LAND BILL MOVED. London, July 14 .- Lord Denman (Conservative), in the House of Lords to-day, moved that the Irish Land bill be read for the third time ten months hence. Earl Spencer (Liberal) opposed the amendment, saying that, although he supported the bill, he had hoped for a larger measure of local government reform. Earl Spencer added that he believed that the Government oposals would do some good, but they would not satisfy the Irish tenants. As Lord Denman was unable to find the teller the bill passed its third reading without a division on his motion.

A NEW PORT FOR COPENHAGEN. Copenhagen, July 14 .- The Harbor Board, under oncession from the Government, will construct a new port covering fifty-five acres, with 75,000 acres of harves and warehouses. The design is to offer a harbor free from ice in winter, where goods can be warehoused free of duty. The projectors hope to make Copenhagen a terminus for Atlantic and Baltic vessels.

THE BANK OF SPAIN BORROWS \$10,000,000. Madrid, July 14.-The Bank of Spain has negotiated a loan of \$10,000,000 with the Banque da Paris and the Rothschilds. The Bank of Spain gives treasury bonds as a guarantee for the repayment of the money

NAVAJO INDIANS EXCITED.

A WARNING TO STOCKMEN-NO TROUBLE EX-PECTED AT WHITE EARTH AGENCY.

Denver, July 14.-A dispatch to "The Rocky Mountain News" from Flagstaff, Ariz., says: "A sheepherder arrived at this place last night with the in formation that the Navajo Indians were gathering in large numbers and seemed to be greatly excited and are preparing to resist any attempt on the part of the Government to arrest the leaders in their raids on the cattle and sheep ranges in this vicinity. They have warned the stockmen to leave the territory, threater ng their lives if they do not do so, and it is the belief of the people that this is the beginning of the expected outbreak of the Navajo Indians. Twenty-five more citizens left here last night to reinforce Sheriff seen forwarded to the Governor asking for troops to or the arrest of the chief and others, but it is believed that they will succeed only in making things worse, as they are only a handful to so many well-armed In

St. Paul. Minn., July 14.-The band of Leech Lake Indians at the White Earth Agency are excited over he rumors that the Government intends to pay them damages for losses incurred by the overflow of the Govrument reservoirs in stock and farm implements instead of in cash, as promised. John St. Martin, an ex-policeman of the reservation, is in the city to see the Army officials. He is much wrought up over the matter and says that the Indians are as near an out break as they can be without really going on the war On Saturday, so St. Martin says, they made an uslaught on the police for trying to stop a dance At Army headquarters little credence is placed in the report, and no trouble is anticipated. It is not thought that it will be necessary to send troops to the scene, as there are enough reservation police to handle the

LIABLE FOR THE ORGANIZATION TAX.

Albany, July 14.-The Attorney-General has just eccived from the General Term of the Hid Depart nent important opinions involving the right of the state to collect from corporations the organization tax imposed by Chapter 143 of the laws of 1886 in the case of the consolidation of corporations. The actions were against the Nickel Plate Railroad, so called, and the Fitchburg Railroad, and were submitted upon as agreed statement of facts at the General Term here in The amount of tax in the case of the Nichel Plate Railroad (principal and interest) is more than \$57,000, and in the case of the Fitchburg Company than \$23,000. The court holds that companies must pay the tax, and directs judgment to be entered according-There is more than \$100,000 in unpaid taxes from various other companies dependent upon hese decisions. The loss to the State in fature taxes, if the decision had been adverse to it, would have imounted to many hundred thousands of dollars.

The court holds that where two or more corporations

consolidate the consolidated corporation is a new corporation, becoming such by virtue of the provisions of the statute authorizing the consolidation, and thus oming within the scope of the act of 1886, which im poses a tax of 1-s of 1 per cent upon the capital stock of every corporation incorporated under the laws of this State. These test cases were brought at the instance of the Secretary of State.

SECRETARY WINDOM'S ESTATE.

Winona, Minn., July 14.-The appraisal of the estate of William Windom, late Secretary of the Treasury, was filed to-day. The summary shows: Real es tate. \$89,834; furniture and household goods, \$2,500; wearing apparel and ornaments, \$100; stock in banks and corporations, \$41,601; all mortgage bonds, notes nd written evidence of debts, \$15,115; total, \$199. 700. The real estate includes a half interest in the Windom Block, Minneapolis, \$50,000; 2,240 acres in Traili County, N. D., \$10,440; \$29 acres of coal lands in Virginia, \$20,733, and small pieces of land in and at Laredo, Texas Hennepin County, and at Laredo, Texas, and Becker County, Minn. The heaviest stock investment is 1,000 shares of West Virginia Centra; and Pittsburg Railway stock and bonds of the same road, valued at \$15,000. Several other investments are, with one exception, under \$500. County.

THE PASSENGERS WERE BADLY SHAKEN UP. A construction train at Sing Sing last night ran into the Chicago limited express, due in New-York at 7:30 o'clock. No one was hurt, but the passengers in the Halfax, N. S., July 14.—The steamer Portia, from o'clock. No one was hart, but the locomotive express train were severely shaken up. The locomotive

of the construction train was wrecked. The engineer of the latter train is said to be to blame for the acct. ARGUING WITH REVOLVERS.

A BLAZE FROM BURNING LUMBER.

LOSSES TO VARIOUS FIRMS AND PERSONS IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, July 14.-The Montreal firemen have been struggling throughout the night with what at one time threatened to prove a confiagration, but which was confined to within a comparatively limited space. The fire started in the lumber yard of Charles Broulette, a contractor and manufacturer, in St. Catherino st., which, with the lumber yards of J. Brousseau and of Joseph Robert & Son, was burned out. For a time it seemed as if all the houses in Shaw-st. and in the contiguous part of the city would be destroyed, but the efforts of the fire brigade were finally successful in checking the spread of the flames.

A number of small houses were burned down, and a great deal of household furniture was destroyed in the attempt to get it out of reach of the fire. The

loss will probably amount to \$75,000. J. Brousscan's establishment and lumber valued at \$30,000 were completely destroyed. He had no in Charles Broulette, door and sash manu facturer, lost \$10,000, with no insurance. Joseph Robert & Son have lost lumber valued at about \$20,-000, but their buildings were not injured. They were insured for \$80,000 in the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of New-York, the Fire Association of New-York. and the Armstrong Fire Insurance Company of New-York. J. Lawrie & Brothers, engine manufacturers estimated their loss at about \$6,000, of which \$4,000 is on patterns which were destroyed by water. of the machinery is also injured, and part of the roof is burnt. The firm is insured for \$8,000 in the Manchester, for \$4,000 in the Commercial Union and for \$1,000 in the Citizens. The loss to the building and machinery is fully covered, but of the insurance only about \$2,000 is on patterns. Others who were bur out are Amedel Parent, restaurant; Dr. E. H. Black-ader, Theodore Parent, boarding-house; George Tott, laborer; Samuel Raffey, carpenter; Mrs. Greene, J. B. Larose, sailor. Most of the people lose part of their furniture and have no insurance.

TROUBLES OF BUSINESS MEN.

NIMICK & CO., OF PITTSBURG, TO WIND UP THEIR AFFAIRS-FAILURE OF A BOSTON FIRM OF SHOE MANUFACTURERS.

Pittsburg, July 14.-A rumor on the streets this afternoon that Nimick & Co., dealers in pig iron, were financially embarrassed, created considerable excitement. The Eabilities were placed at \$1,000,000. It was learned that the firm had decided to wind up the business, and this will require an extension or its obligations to prevent a sacrifice. The assets are nearly two dollars to one of the liabilities. Nimick's other interests are not in any way involved.

Philadelphia, July 14.-A dispatch from New-York last evening declared that the steamer Athos, from Port Limon, brought news of the going out of business of the extensive fruit importing corporation known as the Baltimore Fruit Company. At the office of the company here to-day, Manager John D. Hart said there was no truth in the report whatever.

Buffalo, July 14.-William C. Hovenor, in the dry goods business at No. 259 Main-st., made a general assignment to-day to Hudson Ansley, of Salamanca The preferred creditors are James Wilson, Salamanca \$1,000; Salamanca National Bank, \$5,000; the H. B. Claffin Company, New-York, \$25,000; Altman & Co. Buffalo, 8996; Hudson Ansley, Salamanca, \$250 People's Bank, Buffalo, \$10.000; Scaboard National Bank, New-York, \$5,000; First National Bank of Jamestown, \$2,500; total, \$49,746. William G. Hovenor also has stores at Salamanca and Bradford.

Boston, July 14.-John Long & son, boot and shoe connecturers with a salesroom at No 3 High-st. this city, have failed, and an assignment has been finde to Francis Burke, an attorner, and C. H. Allen, who has charge of the Boston house of the New-York firm of Fayerweather & Ladew.
The liabilities will not exceed \$60,000. The
assets are composed of real estate, stock and accounts.
The firm's goods have been sold principally through
its Boston selling agent. The firm's assets in NewYork have been attached for \$12,000 by Fayerweather

THE SCHOFIELD LIABILITIES AND ASSETS. et was read, which showed the tem's liabilities \$1,203,000 and the assets to be \$842,-000. The chairman announced that a committee of five would be appointed to verify the appealsement.

NEW FORK THIEVES CAUGHT IN CHICAGO. Chicago, July 14.-Two clever hotel thieves were

rrested here and turned over to New-York officers last evening. Two years ago two excursion steamers ame in collision in New-York Harbor. Several people were hurled into the water, among them Eugene F. obinson, who would have been drowned had not one of the passengers jumped into the water and saved Joseph Givendelmeyer, owner of extensive mines in Nevada. Mr. Robinson presented him with a gold watch valued at \$350 and a gold chain as a token of his gratitude. Last January, while Mr. Givendel-meyer was staying at the New-York Hotel, in New-York, his watch and chain and 8300 in cash were stolen from him. Yesterday Chicago officers arrested Daniel Albriso and Mathiew Halpin, who were employes of the hotel at the time of the theft, as they were dis-Dennier America and Matthew Fraging, who were composited of the hotel at the time of the theft, as they were disposing of the watch at a pawn shop.

Detectives Brody and Armstrong arrived at Police Headquarters late last night with two men.

A SUICIDE AT THE FALLS.

Magara Falls, N. Y., July 14.-There seems little oubt that a man went over the American falls yeserday. Among the passengers on the eastern train which arrived here at 2 p. m. to-day were W. S. Sherman and A. A. Raymond, of Clifton Springs. They were in search of E. W. Sherman, who left his home at Clifton Springs Monday morning. A reporter met hem on the train and gave them information that the man they were looking for arrived here at 1:20 p. m. He was known by the fact that he had a ore on the left side of his face. When W. S. Sherman received this information he said he had no doubt but that the man they were looking for went over the falls. The missing man was eighty years old and lost his wife seven years ago. Since then he has been despendent. Two years ago he attempted suicide.

H. H. TARD'S CASE CONTINUED.

Philadelphia; July 14.-H. H. Yard was brought into ommon Pleas Court this morning on an attachment for contempt in refusing to obey the order of the cour directing him to testify before the City Councils in vestigating committee. Counsel for Yard, Maher Sulsberger, informed the court that Yard had not ap prared, as he (the attorney) had filed a writ of cerd rari, City Solicitor Warwick asserted that the mere act of filling this writ did not relieve Yard of the writs of court, and asked that Yard be committed for con- County." All such expressions are deprecated by

Judge Allison, after hearing the arguments, exsed a desire to have the decision in the case giver full beuch, and continued the case until Satur day, when it will be brought before Judges Allison, hiddle and Bregy. Yard was placed under \$5,000 bail to appear on that day.

THE FAMILY'S TEARS HAD BEEN WASTED. Birmingham, Conn., July 14 (special).-Horace

home about a year ago. It was supposed that he had been foully dealt with. About three weeks ago the skeleton of a man was discovered in a field near West Granville and certain parts of it were identified as be longing to Barnes's body. The skeleton was buried and the family mourned over it. On Monday John T. Hollan, proprietor of the Bir-

mingham Hotel, received a letter telling of Barnes's disappearance and that a rumor had reached the family that he was working here. Inquiry showed that that he was working for Pickett & Dayton, icemen-liarnes was working for Pickett & Dayton, icemen-lie wrote to his family to-day, informing them of his good health and of his whereabouts.

THREE OF THE FOUR DROWNED.

Santa Barbara, Cal., July 14.-Two men and a negro boy were drowned last Monday near San Miguel Islands while hunting scals. Another man ching to a rock twenty-four hours and was saved.

THE LTATA'S ARMS AND AMMUNITION LIBELLED. San Diego, Cal., July 14.-Another step in the Itata case was taken this afternoon. The arms and ammunition on board the vessel were formally libelled by United States Murshal Gard.

THREE DEMOCRATIC DELEGATES AT CLEVE-LAND IN A FREE FIGHT.

NO HOPE OF HARMONY IN THE OHIO CONVEN-TION - ANTI-CAMPBELLITES TO STAND TO-

GETHER TO THE LAST-THE GOVERNOR ALMOST CERTAIN OF RENOMINA-TION. BUT ONLY AFTER MOST BITTER OPPOSITION, WHICH

RIED TO THE POLLS. IBY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.

PROBABLY WILL BE CAR-

Cleveland, Ohio, July 14 .- One of the most exciting State conventions ever held in Ohio is about to take place, and the result must be an overwhelming defeat for the Democracy. Early this evening a disgraceful street brawl wound up the day's doings. Three Cincinnati delegates, "Pat" Nolan and the Patterson brothers, engaged in a political argument regarding the respective merits of Campbell and Neal. Words led to blows and blows to revolvers. The three men drew revolvers, and a fusilade followed that drew thousands of people to the street. All three men bled more or less, but no vital spots were bit, and amid the greatest excitement the representatives of Hamilton County Democracy were hustled off to the

The feature of the day was the arrival of Governor Campbell on a special train and a number of his followers, clubs in uniforms and half a dozen brass bands. The Governor was in an open carriage, smiled benignly at the people who lined the streets, tipped his hat, and defiantly rode past the Kline and Neal headquarters in the Weddell House. It was a genuine old-time "triumphal entry." Every band of music that accompanied the Governor played "The Campbells are Coming," and to say that excitement ran high would be expressing it mildly.

Early in the morning the news spread around in headquarters that the Campbell cohorts were beginning to weaken, but the entry of the Governor put new enthusiasm into his followers, and his lines are now as firm as ever. Realizing that something must be done and in a hurry, the anti-Campbell men called a hurried meeting, and about Kline and Neal followers responded Speeches were made by members of the Cuyahoga and Hamilton delegations, denouncing Campbell in the bitterest terms, and declaring repeatedly, in the most emphatic manner, that Campbell, if nominated, could not by any possible chance defeat the Republican champion of Protection The object of the meeting was to devise some plans whereby Campbell can be beaten for nomination, but the Governor's enemies were not willing to give up their particular pets; so it was thought the best way out of the dilemma was the appointment of a committee.

The committee appointed by the anti-Campbellites made its report late to-night, and the outcome, though not exactly a bolt from the nominee should he be Campbell, is so near to it that it made the heads of the Campbell leaders swim when they heard of it at midnight. The anti-Campbellites gathered in the Neal headquarters and adopted resolutions addressed to the Ohio Democracy insisting in the most emphatic terms that Campbell cannot be elected, and calling upon the true and loval Democracy of the State to beat him at all hazards in convention hall. The most serious resolution adopted was one to the effect that the anti-Campbell delegates will insist upon a roll-call of counties should any effort be made to make the Governor's nomination unanimous. This will be resisted with vim and Vigor, and no matter what the outcome may be Campbell's comination will not be unanimous. Campbell's bitterest foe, Reemelin, of Cincinnati, declared of the embarrassed manufacturing firm of Sevill Scho that Hamilton County, which gave him two field, Son & Co., of Manayunk, was held this afternoon. years ago a majority of 7,000, will roll up a pority for McKinley of at least 15,000.

"If," said he, in an address to an assembled throng of delegates, "you can afford to begin your campaign with Hamilton against you, go ahead and do it. I have given you my warning; so

There were many mighty contests to-night in the district meetings, but Campbell carried everything before him. The Cuyahoga delegates, who have chaze of the convention arrangements, have given the Governor a direct slap in the face by refusing his followers, not delegates, tickets of admission to Convention Hall. This act is unprecedented, and Dr. Norton, Campbell's right-hand bower, immediately had 3,000 tickets printed to be distributed among Campbell's shouters.

Governor Campbell undoubtedly will be the nominee of the convention to-morrow for Governor. The logic of the situation leads to this conclusion, and only the persistency of the other candidates in remaining in the race prevents this conclusion being accepted by all parties. The contest will be short and decisive and will be concluded probably with the first ballot. Governor Campbell will receive far more than enough votes to nominate him, but the anti-Campbel lelegates will go on the record in opposition in order to prevent a unanimous nomination. Thus, so far as the convention is concerned, harmony is deliberately rejected, and the only question now is, will the anti-Campbell factions carry their grievances to the polls? There are twenty-five or thirty of the Hamilton County, or Cincinnati, delegates who vow that they will, and these recalcitrants will have the sympathy, if not the company, of a dozen or more of the Cuyahoga County, or Cleveland, delegates. There have been many wordy warfares in the hotel lobbies to-day between the Campbell delegates and their demonstrative opponents, and in several instances the disputes went to such an extent that the admirers of the Governor answered the threats of the Hamilton County delegates by defying their opposition and declaring that Campbell could be both nominated and elected without the help of Cincinnati. "The day has mssed," angrily exclaimed in stentorian tones a ountry delegate in the Hollenden Hotel this even ing, "when Cincinnati can rule the Democratic party of Ohio. You kickers can do your worst. We will elect Campbell without Hamilton both Campbell and Neal, but their ill-effect is none the less felt in the party ranks.

After the revolver incident to-night, the leaders of all factions immediately entered a vigorous pro test against the Wrangles which have continued throughout the day, and to-night a strong attempt is being made to restore harmony. This afternoon and evening the Governor remained at his headquarters and received his friends. "There is no doubt of my nomination on the first ballet," said he. "It is a simple question of addition, as I already have from far more than enough delegates to insure my nomination. I think that the result, whatever it may be, will be accepted philosophically by all my worthy competitors, and that the Democracy of the State will present an unoroken front to the enemy this fall. I am confident of my election." At the meeting of the Congressional delegations

this evening the following were selected as the new State Central Committee to conduct the coming campaign: Ist District, Michael Mullen, of Hamilton County: IId

Ist District, Michael Audien, of Hamilton; IIId District, Charles E. Gaililand, of Montgomery; IVth District, C. F. Lautls, Preble County; Vih District, G. W. Hull; Allen County; Vith District, L. C. Cole, Wood County; Vilth District, County; Vilta District, County; Vil County; Vith District, L. C. Cofe, Wood County; Villan District, J. A. Norton, Seneca County; IXth District, J. L. Tranger, Franklin County; Xth District, F. A. Sincey, Ross County; Xith District, W. W. Pennell, Brown County; Xith District, John L. Vance, Gallia County; Xith District, John L. Vance, Gallia County; Xive XIIIth District, John G. Reeves, Fairfield County; XIVth District, J. R. Hill, Licking County; XVth District, H. L.

Wayne County; XVIIth District, A. N. Kennon, Pelmont | DYNAMITE KILLS TWO MEN. County; XVIIIth District, J. R. Mchally, Guernsey County; XIXth District, John Maching, Mahoning County XXth District, W. T. Gobin, Summit County; XXIst District, Charles Carroll, Cuyahoga County.

The discussion over the platform still continues, and it is evident the free-coinage men will only win after a brisk fight, Ex-Congressman A. J

win after a brisk fight. Ex-Congressman A. J. Warner and other prominent free-coinage men are on the ground, insisting that party success can only be insured by the convention declaring for the free and untimited coinage of silver; but they are being vigorously opposed by Congressman Harter and other equally prominent Democrats.

As a result of this division of sentiment, several informal conferences of the Democratic Congressmen and other party leaders have been held. There is a manifest disposition to occupy a position on the question that will not be an embarrassment to the party in 1892, after the National Convention shall have enunciated the doctrine of the Democracy on this important point. The indications are that the free-coinage men are largely in the majority. the majority.

The Committee on Resolutions will be in session

The Committee on Resolutions will be in session mearly all night preparing the platform. Up to this hour most of the important points have been decided except the silver question, which promises to create a prolonged discussion in the convention. The tariff plank is founded upon that of last year and is as follows:

continue the batt'e for tariff reform until the cause of the people is triumphant. All money taken by law from the people shall go into the public treasury. Tariff taxes should be for revenue only. All so called protective-tariff taxes are dishonest, wasteful and corrupting. They plunder the masses to enrich few. They have crippled agriculture, tarded manufacturing, created trusts, destroyed comm and corrupted our law-makers. We denounce the Mo-Kinley Tariff law passed by the Pillion-Pollar Congress as an iniquitous and oppressive measure and an injury to the American farmer and laborer.

It is likely that a plank favoring free coinage will be ultimately adopted by the committee; but if so a minority report will be presented op-posing free coinage.

A CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

FLAMES STARTED IN THREE PLACES IN A BROOK-LYN TENEMENT HOUSE BY AN INCENDIARY.

A fire, plainly the work of an incendiary, broke out just before midnight last night in the double tenement-house Nos. 268 and 270 State-st., Brooklyn, and before it was extinguished one child was burned to death and four people were injured. The fire was started in three places at once, and spread quickly. The tenement-buses were four stories in height and contained eight families each.

The occupants began to leave the building at the first alarm and all managed to reach the street by doors, windows and fire escapes except Maggie Bishop, the three-year-old daughter of the janitor, John Bishop, who lived on the top floor. She was burned to death. Dishon's mother was injured by falling, and three others were hurt. The interior of the buildings were completely burned out. They belonged to the Colson estate.

A HORRIBLE BUTCHERY IN TEXAS.

ROBBERS CUT THE THROATS OF AN OLD WOMAN AND THREE CHILDREN FOR NOT TELL-ING WHERE SOME MONEY WAS.

New-Orleans, July 14 .- "The Picayune's" Joshua, Johnson County, Texas, dispatch says: This morning at 1 o'clock two men went to the nome of George Newberry, living two miles west f Joshua, and demanded admittance. Newberry being absent, his mother supposed that it was he eturning and opened the door. The men forced their way into the house and demanded money that they supposed had been received by Newberry a few days previous. The old woman told them she had no money about he house. They then grabbed her, took her to the yard gate, and tied her with a rope to the post, and gashed her throat. One man remained with her on the outside, while the other went into the house, where three children were sleeping. The oldest, a child of seven years, was awakened, when the man asked where her father's oney was. The child told him she would tell her father of his trying to get his money. He took her out of the house into the yard and cut her throat with a butcher knife. He then went back into the house and got

the second girl, age five, carried her to the vard and cut her threat with The same kuife. then went back into the house and got the baby-boy, two years old, carried him into the yard and killed him in the same manner and piled the bodies together. He then washed the knife and left it lying on the table.

The woman's neck has seventeen gashes, but she s still living, and gave the account of the affair, It is supposed the murder was for the purpose of robbery, as Newberry had just got \$500 damages from the Santa Fe Railroad Company for carry-ing his wife by Joshua.

TALES OF HARDSHIP AT NAVASSA.

NEGROES TESTIFY IN BALTIMORE BEFORE THE UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER.

Baltimore, July 14 (Special).—A distressed-looking growd of negroes were before United States Commis-William Henry Harrison was the While his wrist was so much swollen that he could hardly get his shirt off he said he was sent to shovel dirt, but he could not hold the shovel in his hand, Mr. Stamford, one of the bosses, sent him to fail and said he didn't care if his hand rotted of. While in this condition, he said, he was put in the stocks and and water. Then he was sent to the hospital, where

John Whote, John Hall, Charles Read and John Harrison gave similar testimony. The evidence produced a decided sensation. The testimony of each negro was about the same, except as to the length of time the punishment lasted. It averaged, they said, from two and one-half to six hours each, and besides the foul food, the treatment, they alleged, was because in the extreme and imposed for the most triv

TO INVESTIGATE THE GRASSHOPPER INVASION. Lawrence, Kan., July 14 (Special).-Chancellor gram from the Department of Agriculture requesting him to go to Western Kansas and Eastern Colorado and report in reference to the grasshopper invasion. He oft here for the West by the first train and is to be joined on the way by Professor Popence and othe scientists. Before leaving here Chancellor Snow sale there should be no fear in Kansas this year from hop pers. The swarms of them that have been seen in Eastern Colorado and Western Kansas were not the genuine Kansas red legs, but a grasshopper that was found every year upon the prairies of the West, and they could do no perceptible damage.

ESCAPED FROM THE ELMIRA REFORMATORY. Elmira, N. Y., July 14 (Special).-William Malliday. of Brooklyn, and Erno Smith, of New-York, escaped fro the State Reformatory here early yesterday morning. They were sentenced for grand larceny and soon would be released.

SUICIDE OF A WELL-TO-DO MAN. Medina, N. Y., July 14 (Special).-Doglet Norton ne of the most prominent and wealthy residents of Alabama, N. Y., committed suicide by hanging him self in the woods on one of his large farms to-day He was sixty-three years old, and worth over \$200,

FOR UNITING TWO RIVAL CITIES. St. Paul. Minn., July 14.-The first step toward the

union of St. Paul and Minneapolis was taken by the Chamber of Commerce yesterday in the adoption of a resolution appointing a committee of seven to confer with a committee of the Minneapolis Board of Trade upon the best means of bringing about a permanent

PRICE THREE CENTS.

EXPLOSION IN THE HOLD OF A STEAMSHIP!

THE VICTIMS DID NOT KNOW WHAT THEY WERE HANDLING-ARREST OF THE CAPTAIN.

Two men were blown to pieces yesterday forenoon by an explosion of dynamite cartridges in the hold of the "tramp" steamship G. R. Booth; which was being unloaded at Richards-st., Brooklyn. A portion of her cargo consisted of a number of cases of dynamite cartridges, packed in square wooden boxes. They were consigned to Simpson, Spence & Young, of Morris-st. and Broadway, New-York, and were to be used for blasting purposes.

The Booth is a vessel of 2,500 tons burden and arrived in this port on Friday from Sunder-land, England. On Monday a force of longshoremen went to work unloading the vessel. A considerable part of the cargo had been removed to the wharf yesterday morning and the freight in the lower part of the hold was being taken out. Two men were at work in the hold fastening the hoisting tackle to the packages. They were Cornelius Hayes, of No. 139 Cherry-st., New-York, and William Pegan, of No. 82 Fulton-st., Brook-lyn. Shortly after 10 o'clock they had just returned to the hold after being on deck for some fresh air, and had given the signal "hoist away," when the explosion occurred.

It is supposed that a box of the dynamite cartridges either fell from the tackle or from a pile on one side of the hold, and the concussion served to cause it to explode with great force. The vessel was shaken from end to end and the men on deck felt the force of the shock severely. The sound of the explosion was heard to a considerable distance. A fire alarm was at once sent out by the watchman at the gate, who prevented any one from entering save the police and firemen summoned. They found the shattered bodies of the two men in the hold. One was much more disfigured than the other, and the fragments of his body had to be collected in a bag to be taken

The ambulance surgeon summoned found that his ervices were required for William Williams, chief officer of the vessel, who had sprained his ankle and had recived a punctured wound in the right foot, as he stood by the hatchway, and for Eben Lawrence, a machinist, who had been cut in the jaw by flying splinters and had his ankle broken. Foreman Platt Van Cott, of Engine Company No. 2, also injured his right leg in the excitement, and was taken to his home in an ambulance. Chief Officer Williams was removed to the Long Island College Hospital.

A short time after the explosion occurred it was found that the vessel was leaking badly from a hole in her starboard side, and it was discovered that one of the iron plates had been blown off. The pumps were set at work and a wrecking company was sent for to keep her afloat, but she sank in a short time.

The Booth is owned by the Britannia Steamship Company, and commanded by Captain William A. Saville, of Sunderland, England. He said yesterday afternoon: "The last place we stopped at before reaching this port was Hamburg, and there we took on board eighty cases consigned to Simpson, Spence & Young, of the Columbia Building, New-York. They looked like drygoods cases and I did not know there there was a dangerous explosive in them."

The firm of Thomas Hogan & Sons, stevedores, had charge of the unloading, and the men were under R. C. Frank, foreman. It is expected that a searching investigation will be made in regard to the responsibility for shipping the dynamite and setting men at work unloading it without giving them information of what they were handling. It is a misdemeanor under the State law to ship a dangerous explosive without properly marking it and giving directions in regard to handling it. The Custom House inspector on the wharf said he knew nothing about the cargo. He knew that the cases came from Germany but was ignorant of their contents.

Captain Saville was arrested by the police of

the Eleventh Precinct of Brooklyn yester noon, and will be held until the matter is fully inquired into. He is regarded as responsible for not telling the men employed at work on the vessel of the dangerous character of the boxes they were handling. He was admitted to ball.

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At the office of Simpson, Spence & Young, the agents of the G. R. Booth, it was said that there were seventy-six cases invoiced as cartridges and detonators on the manifest of the ship. Such a cargo had often been carried before and no accident had happened. Ten of the cases it was understood at the office, had been hoisted out of the hold and placed on the pier when the explosion occurred. occurred.

SALTON BASIN BEING FLOODED.

San Francisco, July 14 (Special).- A Mexican named Flores reached Flowing Wells on Saturday and gave Engineer Hawgood new facts in regard to the water that pours into the Salton Basin. Flores started from his ranch in Sonora, intending to go to Yuma, but he found his route to be under water. About New River the water was deep and he could not ford it, so he skirted the Cocapah Mountains. He kept on his way toward the Big Holes country, skirting wint looked to be a boundless occan, with a current running strongly toward the north. At last, just to the south doner Rogers this morning to testify to the cruel treat of the Salton Basin, he managed to find ground higher nent they had received on the Navassa Phosphate than the rest. Here he forded the flood and got into Flowing Wells, where he found Hawgood, and told his est witness. He told a terrible story of hardship and experience. Hawgood says that the bulk of the water corture endured on the Island. While loading stores is now south of the Mexican line. The flood, at a five miles, and its greatest width is about fifty miles. This immense body of water is held back from the salton lasin by sand ridges, through which, however, it has been making its way, and is now gradually covering that basin.

> PASSED OVER MAYOR WASHBOURNE'S VETO. Chicago, July 14.-Mayor Washburne last night vetoed the ordinance giving the Economic Gas Com-pany franchises to tear up and lay pipes in the streets of the city, a question which has been the subject of much newspaper comment. The Council promptly passed the ordinance over the veto #54 to 10. passed the ordinance over the veto-54 to 10.
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> A local paper says: "City Hall politicians have figured out that the big vote by which the Economic Fuel Gas ordinance was carried over the Mayor's veto cost just \$50,000 in cash. 'Blocks of stock' in a company that nearly evety Alderman believes will have its franchise for sale before it lays a vard of pipe under it did not prove a sufficiently weighty consideration with the interested. Therefore it is said that \$50,000 of good money was used. This is considered a cheap price." Mayor Washburn said today: "I was not surprised at the action of the Council. I had good reason beforehand for believing that the orth mance would be carried over my objection, but I did not think it would be done by so large a vote."

Newburg, N. Y., July 14 (Special).-James H. Lennon, a Ponghkeepsle "tough," jumped to his death yesterday at Marlborough, Ulster County. He had ocen stealing clothing from Kniffen's Hotel, which to on the top of a procipice 200 feet high. He jumped from a rear window of the hotel, probably thinking it was on the level with the first story of the building. It's skull was fractured, and along the side of the bank, caught in the shrubbery, were five coats he had

DEOPPED DEAD AT HIS WIFE'S FUNERAL. Shelbyville, III., July 14.-While the funeral sermon of Tower Hill, a village near here, on Sunday, the Rev. W. B. F. Corley suddenly fell from his seat, and died in a few minutes. The funeral exercises were suspended, and Mr. and Mrs. Corley were buried together. The dead man was a pioneer settler of this county, widely known and honored.

SMUGGLED WHISKEY SEIZED BELOW QUEREC. Quebec, July 14.-Custom officers have just made an extensive had of sunggled whistey in the river below. They captured a schooner which had on board about 115 barrels of the liquor, valued at about 812,000.

CITIZEN TRAIN'S JOURNEY ENDED. Seattle, Wash., July 14.-Citizen George Francis Train arrived here last evening and left the city at aidnight for Whatcom, the end of his journey. is in high spirits over beating his former record and circling the globe in sixtr-two days.